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## 37 CFR §1.131 Declaration

I, Won-Kyu KIM, declare and state

- 1) I am a graduate of Golden State University and I received my degree in the year 1985.
- 2) I am one of the inventors of the above-identified application.
- 3) I am familiar with the Office Action dated February 10, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application.
- 4) I am familiar with the Lee '873 (US Patent Application Publication No. 2002-0114873) reference that was cited in the Office Action dated February 10, 2004.
- 5) I affirm that the invention of the above-identified application was conceived of prior to the effective date of the Lee '873 reference.
- 6) I affirm that actual reduction to practice of the invention of the above-identified application was made prior to the effective date of the Lee '873 reference.
- 7) Attached to this declaration, please find (a) document(s) and (a) verified translation(s) that show evidence of the conception of the invention prior to the effective date of the Lee '873 reference.

I hereby declare all statements made herein of my own knowledge are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under 18 USC §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent that issues therefrom.

signature of inventor

date of signature